

REMARKS

This Amendment responds to the Office Action mailed July 15, 2004.

At the outset, three Information Disclosure Statements were filed by the Applicant prior to the issuance of the instant Office Action. Applicant kindly requests acknowledgement of the references received on October 20, 2003, April 10, 2003, and filed with the original application. For the Examiner's convenience, copies of the lists of references are attached.

In paragraphs 2-3 of the Office Action, the Examiner rejects claims 1-4, 7-8, 10-13, and 15 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which Applicant regards as the invention. In response, Applicant has amended these claims to improve the idiomatic use of English and to indicate when the tone output controller causes tone output from the call-tone output unit and from the receiver. In doing so, Applicant has not narrowed the scope of these claims. As shown in Figs. 1 and 3, the receiver comprises a loud speaker which outputs a tone when, for example, "the hinge is unfolded from the folded state" as recited by claim 1.

In view of the above, each of the presently pending claims in this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

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Respectfully submitted,

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